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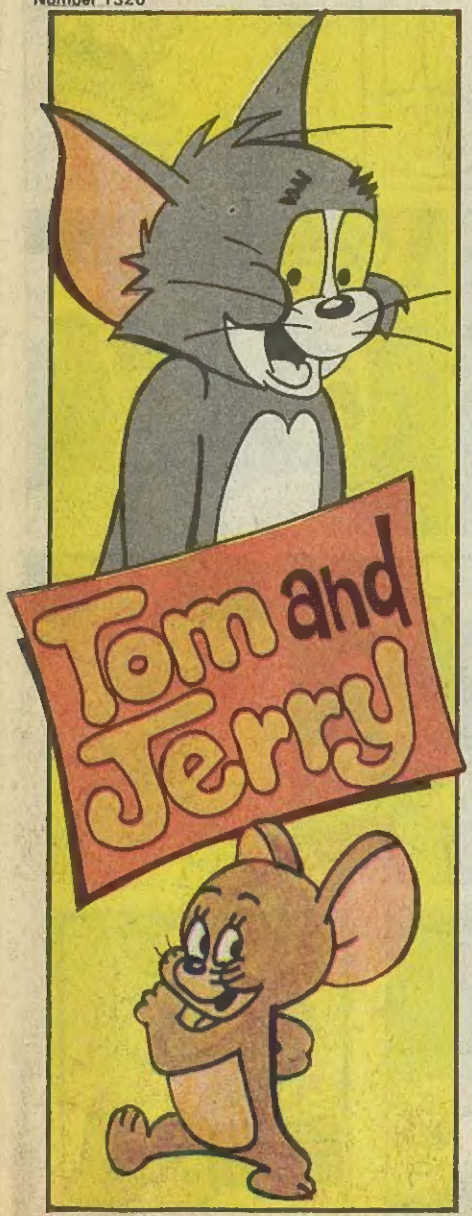

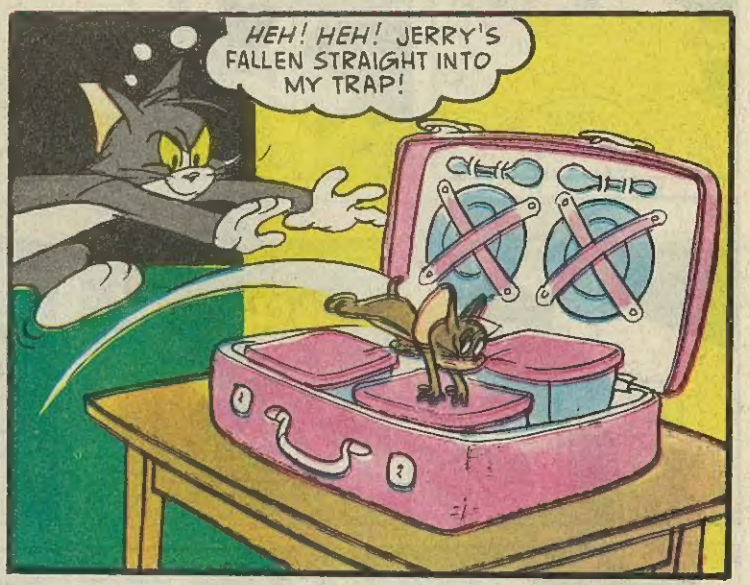

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BARNEY BEAR

SEE YOU LATER, BARNEY! HOPE YOU WIN THE SANDCASTLE CONTEST!

THANKS, MOOSE!

HEY! MY SANDCASTLE!

LISTEN, FATSO! THAT WAS MY KID'S ENTRY FOR THE SANDCASTLE CONTEST. YOU'RE GOING TO MAKE A NEW ONE!

THERE, HOW'S THAT?

YOU MUST BE JOKING! IT WAS MUCH BIGGER!

THERE! THAT'S A GOOD SIZE!

IT WAS BIGGER THAN THAT!

HOURS LATER...

NOW THE SEA-SHELLS!

HOPE I'VE COLLECTED ENOUGH!

AT LAST...

FINISHED JUST IN TIME! HERE COME THE JUDGES!

GASP! WHEEZE

I MUST SEE IF BARNEY HAS WON!

THAT HAS TO BE THE WINNER, DEAR!

I HAVE PLEASURE IN GIVING YOU A CHEQUE FOR £5.

STOP CRYING, BARNEY, YOU COULD NEVER HAVE MADE ONE AS GOOD AS THAT!

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Pink Panther

I'VE GOT *(HIC!)* HICCUPS! THEY SAY IF YOU HOLD YOUR *(HIC!)* BREATH THEY GO!

21...22... 23...

I WONDER IF THAT WORKED? *(HIC!)* NO IT DIDN'T!

I KNOW HOW TO GET RID OF 'EM! *(HIC!)* I'LL GO ON THE GHOST TRAIN AT THE *(HIC!)* FAIRGROUND!

HERE WE- *(HIC!)*-GO!

GHOST TRAIN

WHOAH!

HIC!

HIC!

LATER...

I'VE BEEN ROUND TWENTY TIMES *(HIC!)* AND IT'S STILL HASN'T *(HIC!)* WORKED!

GHOST TRAIN

I'LL TRY THIS *(HIC!)* HORROR FILM!

TODAY

DRACULA RETURNS

HIC!

I'VE SAT THROUGH THAT FILM TWICE *(HIC!)* AND IT HASN'T DONE A THING!

I MIGHT AS WELL *(HIC!)* GO HOME!

EEEK! A MOUSE!

MY HICCUPS HAVE GONE! I SPENT ALL THAT MONEY TRYING TO GET RID OF THEM, THEN I DID IT AT HOME FOR FREE!

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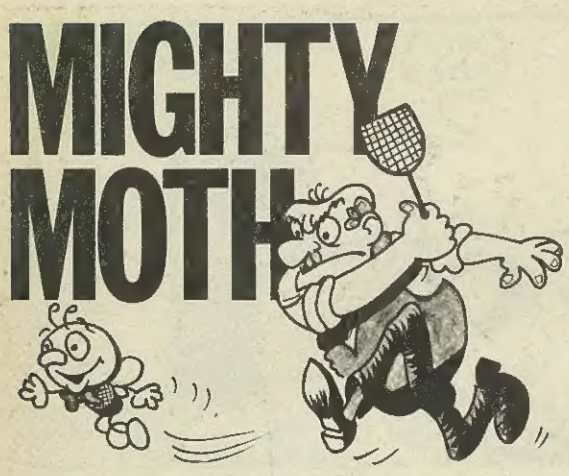
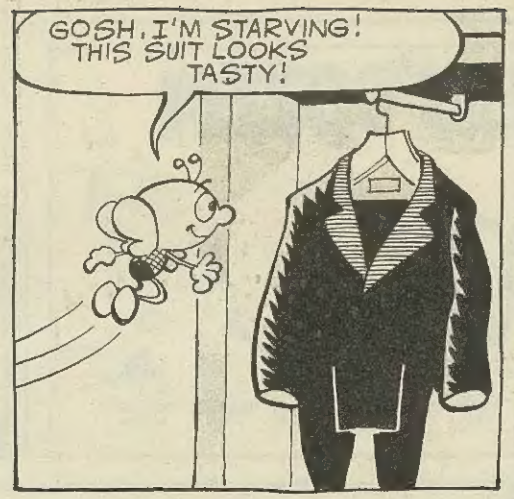
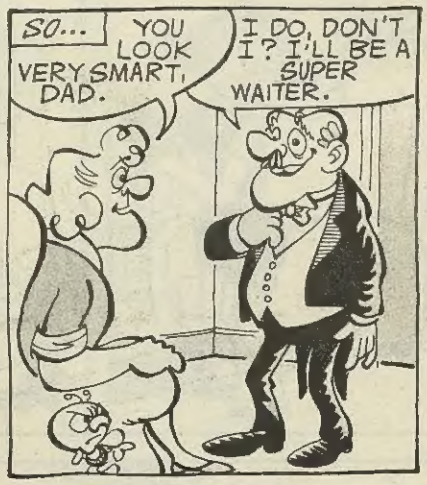
MIGHTY MOTH




GOSH, I'M STARVING! THIS SUIT LOOKS TASTY!

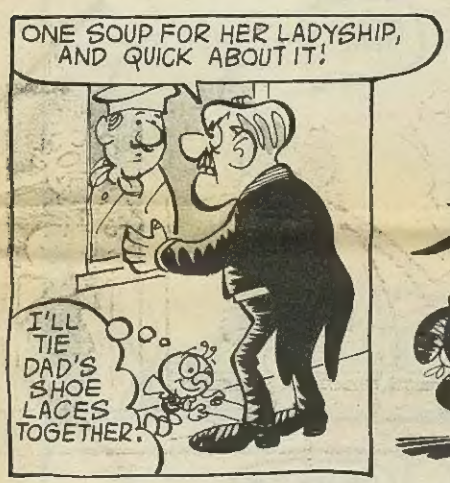
DON'T YOU DARE TOUCH IT!
WHACK!

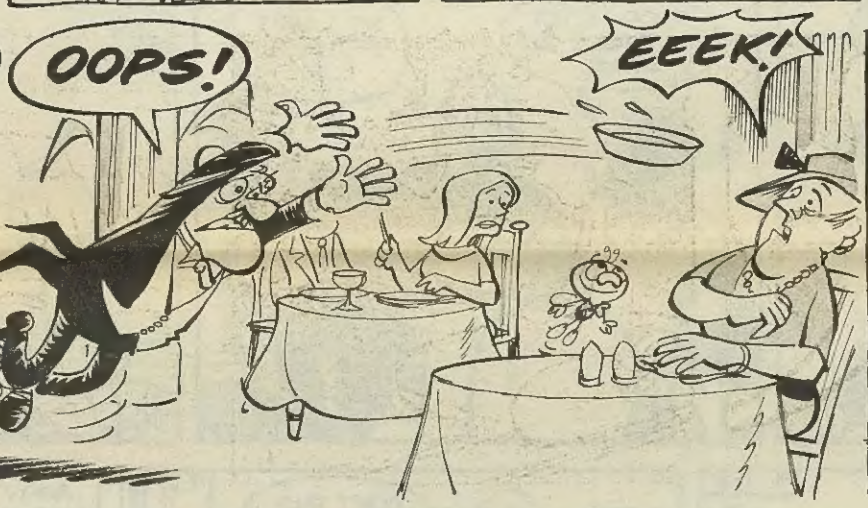
I'VE TAKEN A JOB AS PART-TIME WAITER AT THE RITZY RESTAURANT!


SO... YOU LOOK VERY SMART, DAD.
I DO, DON'T I? I'LL BE A SUPER WAITER.

LATER... LADY FITZFANSHAWE IS OUR BEST CUSTOMER. SO LOOK AFTER HER.

SOUP, YOUR LADYSHIP? CERTAINLY, YOUR LADYSHIP!

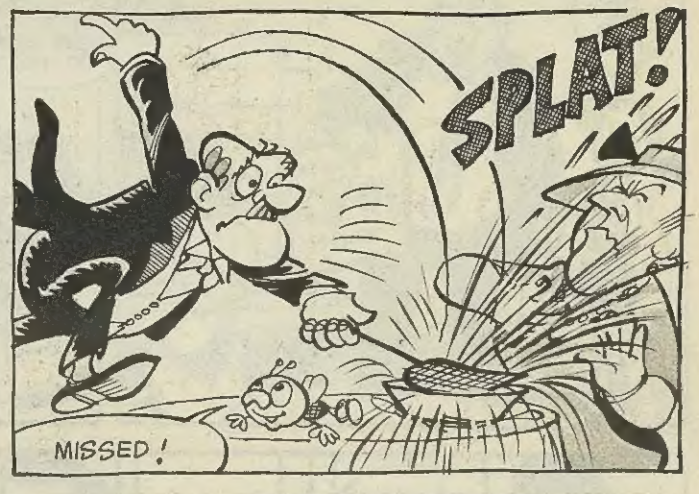

ONE SOUP FOR HER LADYSHIP, AND QUICK ABOUT IT!
I'LL TIE DAD'S SHOE LACES TOGETHER.


OOPS!
EEEK!

OH, WELL CAUGHT!

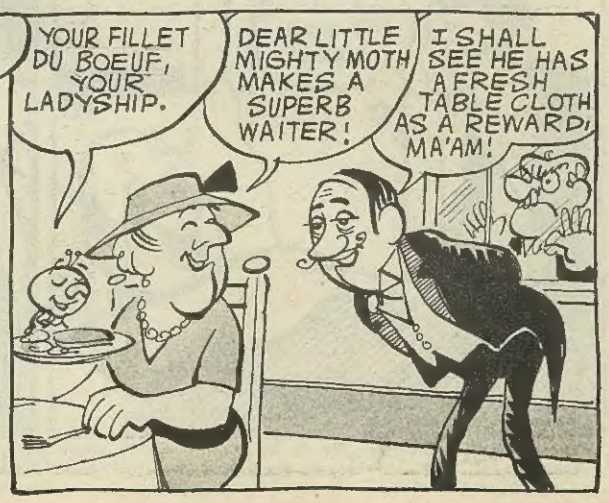
YOUR SOUP, YOUR LADYSHIP!

HE'S NOT GOING TO GET AWAY WITH THAT!


SPLAT!
MISSED!

GET RID OF THAT WAITER AT ONCE!
CERTAINLY, YOUR LADYSHIP!

AURANT
GET OUT! AND DON'T COME BACK!


YOUR FILLET DU BOEUF, YOUR LADYSHIP.
DEAR LITTLE MIGHTY MOTH MAKES A SUPERB WAITER!
I SHALL SEE HE HAS A FRESH TABLE CLOTH AS A REWARD, MA'AM!

THE BAKERS' DOZEN

DAD BAKER AGE UNKNOWN
MUM BAKER NOT SHOULD AS DAD
NANCY 12 YRS.
HERBERT 11 YRS.
FREDDIE 10 YRS.
SUSY 9 YRS.
"LANKY" 8 YRS.
BILLY 7 YRS.
JILL AND JACK TWINS - BOTH 5.
"TOOFY" 2 YRS.
"BARKER" 5 YRS
"WHISKERS" 9 LIVES
SIR EDWARD 99 YRS.

Hallo, Eddie.

'at was a funny fing to do!

HALLO, TOOFY.

TOOFY!

I'M GOING TO TELL DAD.

TOOFY STUCK HIS TONGUE OUT AT ME.

NO! I CAN'T BELIEVE IT, SUSY.

WELL, I NEVER!

YOU SEE, DAD.

IT'S VERY RUDE OF HIM.

DON'T TAKE ANY NOTICE. HE DOESN'T KNOW ANY BETTER.

NEXT MORNING.

WHAT'S THE TROUBLE?

IT'S MR. BAKER, DOCTOR. HE'S NOT WELL.

LET ME SEE YOUR TONGUE.

Don't take any notice, Doctor. He doesn't know any better.

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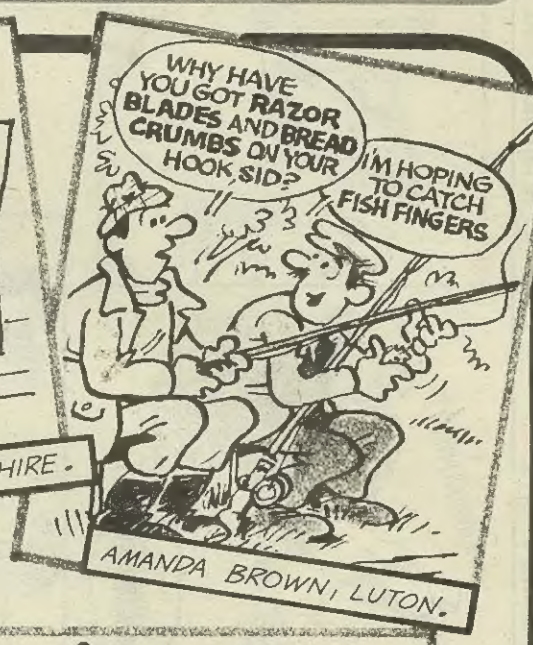

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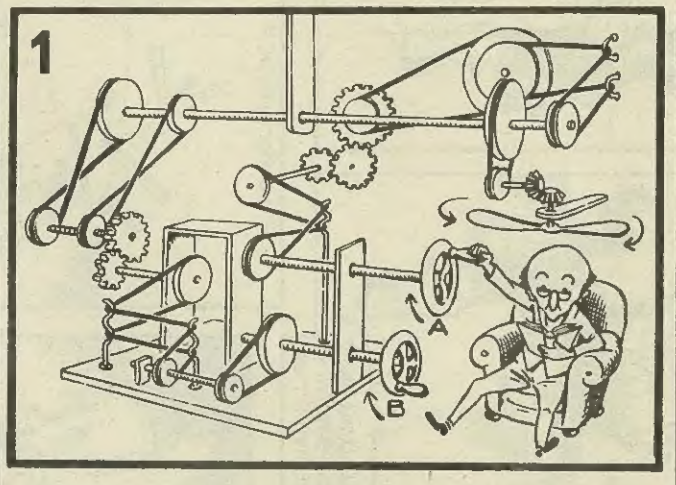
COLETTE FERGUSON, GLASGOW.

Puzzle-it-out!

No. 1. Professor Cleaver has invented an apparatus that provides a breeze whenever required. If the professor turns wheel A in the direction indicated, will the fan turn in the direction of the left arrow or the right arrow? And if he turns wheel B in the same direction, how will the fan turn then?

No. 2. Freddie has nine balls and four boxes. He has to put three balls in each box, how does he do it?



ANSWERS

No. 1. With A in the direction of the right arrow and with B in the opposite direction.

No. 2. Three balls in each of the three small boxes and then one small box in the big one.

FREE!

STAMP COMPETITION

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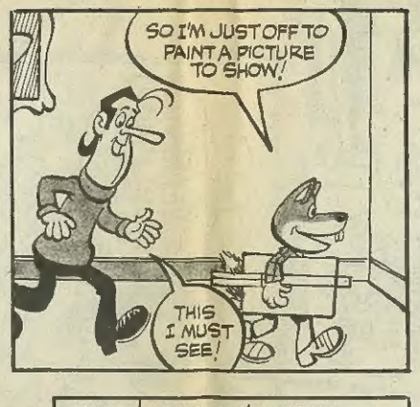
BASIL BRUSH

WHAT'S ALL THE GEAR FOR, GUV?
THE VILLAGE ART SOCIETY IS HOLDING AN EXHIBITION!


SO I'M JUST OFF TO PAINT A PICTURE TO SHOW!
THIS I MUST SEE!

YOU SHOULD TAKE UP PAINTING CHUMMERS – IT'S VERY RELAXING!

THAT'S THE SKY DONE – NOW FOR THE FIELD!

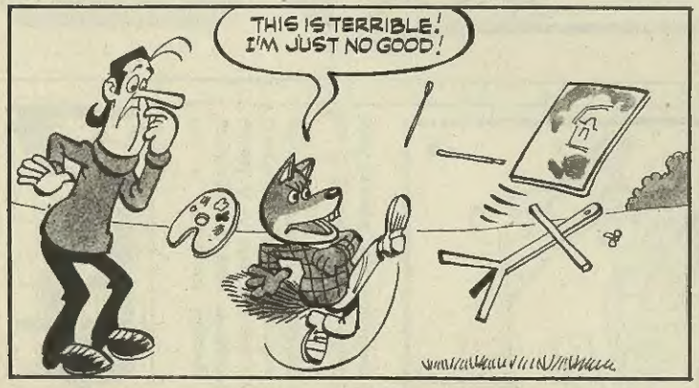
CURSES! THAT COW'S GOT IN THE WAY! CHASE IT OFF, CHUMMERS!

SHOO!

BUT...
OH, BLOW! I'VE PUT THE WRONG SHADE OF GREEN ON! I'LL HAVE TO WIPE IT OFF AND START AGAIN!

GRR! I CAN'T GET THAT COTTAGE RIGHT!

THE ROOF'S THE WRONG COLOUR!


THIS IS TERRIBLE! I'M JUST NO GOOD!

I THOUGHT 'E SAID PAINTIN' WAS RELAXIN'!

LOOK, GUV – ANOTHER ARTIST 'AS TURNED UP TO PAINT THE SAME SCENE!

SOON...
LOOK AT THAT! IT'S PERFECT!

FINISHED!
THAT'S SUPER! CAN I BUY IT OFF YOU?

WELL I HAVE A PAINTING, CHUMMERS, EVEN IF I DIDN'T PAINT IT MYSELF!

AH, MISTER BRUSH – I SEE YOU'VE BEEN WORKING ON YOUR PICTURE FOR OUR EXHIBITION!

IT'S PERFECT! I'LL HANG IT RIGHT AWAY!
BUT... BUT...

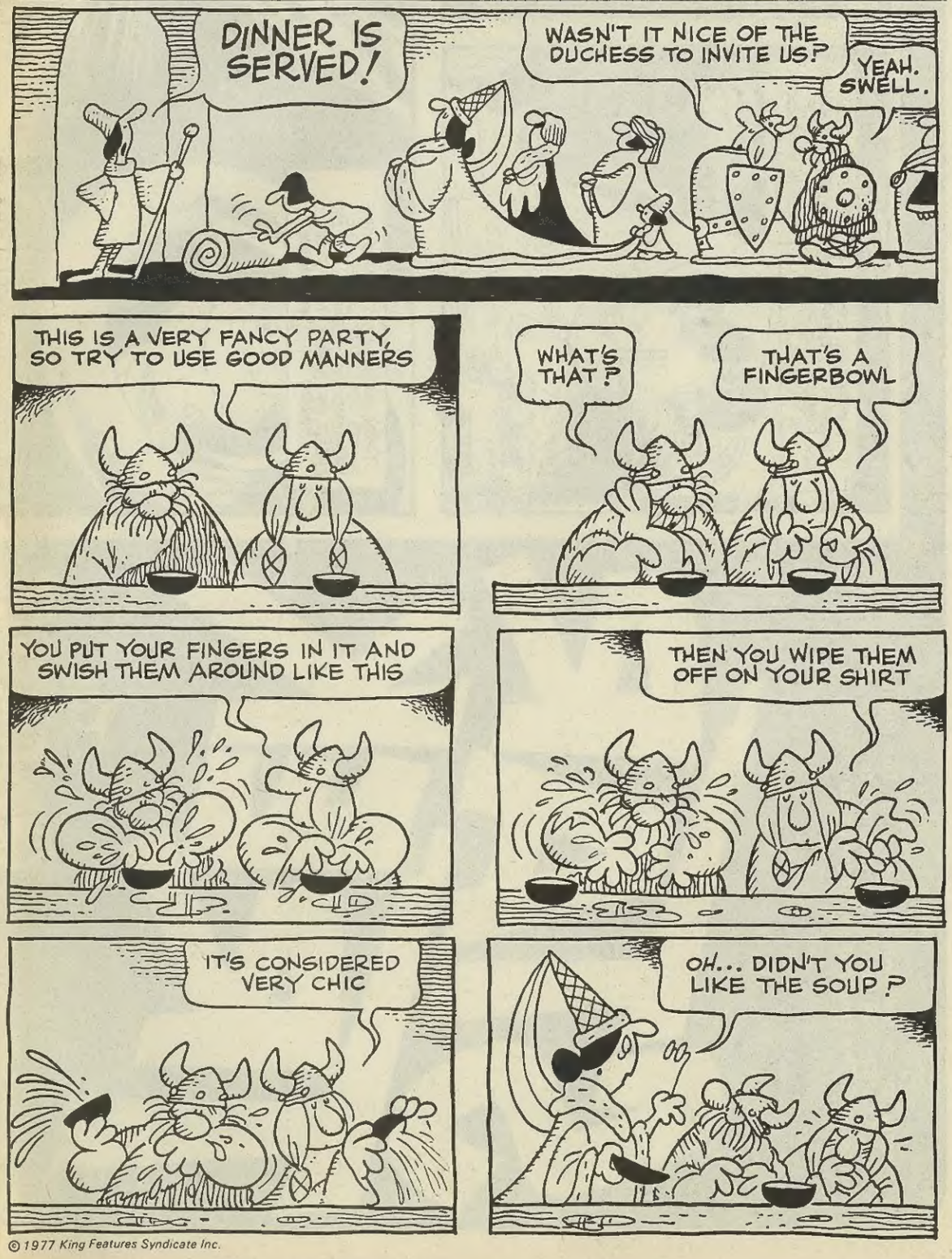
NEXT DAY...
THAT BASIL BRUSH IS A SUPERB ARTIST!
I...I DID TRY TO EXPLAIN, CHUMMERS!
SHAME!

Captain PUGWASH

VISITOR ON DECK FOR YOU, CAP'N!
I'M HILTON BLADE. I HEAR YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE A BETTER SWORDSMAN?
I'D LIKE TO BEAT CUT THROAT JAKE, THAT'S SURE!
THEN YOU SHALL. I'M THE WORLD'S BEST SWORDSMAN. TWENTY SOVEREIGNS A LESSON!
DONE! LET'S BEGIN!
LUNGE AT ME, CAP'N!
THIS IS THE ALL-OVER TWIST!
?
TWIST!
NO ONE ELSE KNOWS THAT MOVE. IT WILL MAKE YOU UNBEATABLE.
LATER..
THANK'EE, LAD. I'M GOING TO CHALLENGE JAKE RIGHT AWAY!
SO..
NOW WE'LL SEE WHO'S THE BEST SWORDSMAN, JAKE!
TWIST!
TWIST!
THE ALL-OVER TWIST!
MEVIN
I PAID TWENTY SOVEREIGNS FOR THAT!
SO DID I!
FROM HILTON BLADE?
RIGHT, LET'S FIND HIM!
THIS IS THE ONE TWIST THAT'S ALL OVER, MR BLADE! COUNT THE MONEY, PUGWASH!

HÄGAR The Horrible

by DIK BROWNE


DINNER IS SERVED!
WASN'T IT NICE OF THE DUCHESS TO INVITE US?
YEAH. SWELL.
THIS IS A VERY FANCY PARTY, SO TRY TO USE GOOD MANNERS
WHAT'S THAT?
THAT'S A FINGERBOWL
YOU PUT YOUR FINGERS IN IT AND SWISH THEM AROUND LIKE THIS
THEN YOU WIPE THEM OFF ON YOUR SHIRT
IT'S CONSIDERED VERY CHIC
OH... DIDN'T YOU LIKE THE SOUP?

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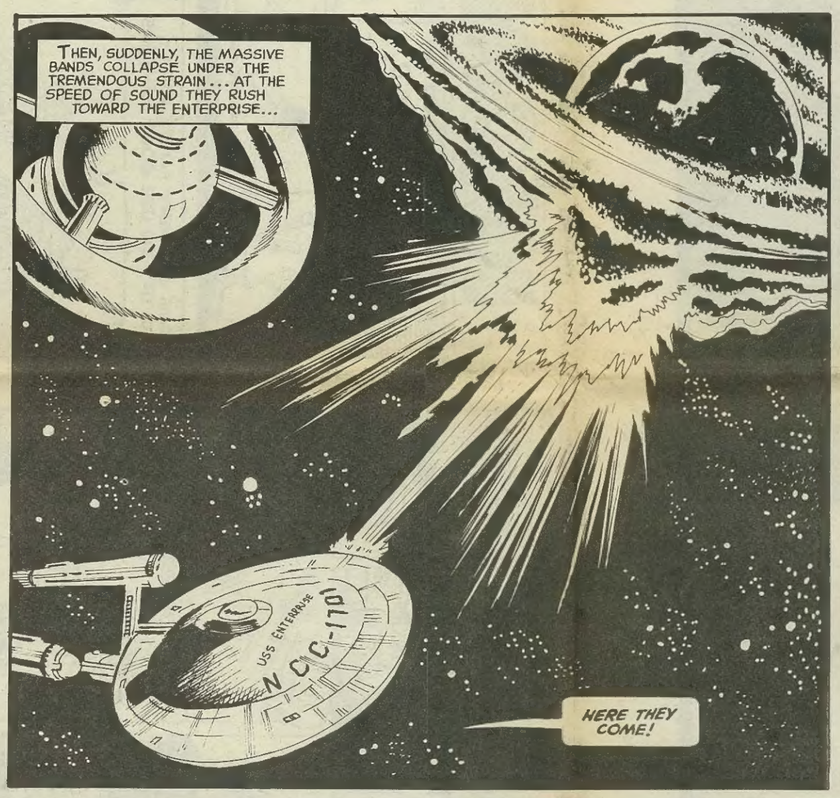
Having confronted Twin Supremes of The Planet Numero Uno, Captain Kirk and Spock attempt to crack The Doom Rings with The Enterprise's Magnetic Generators . . .

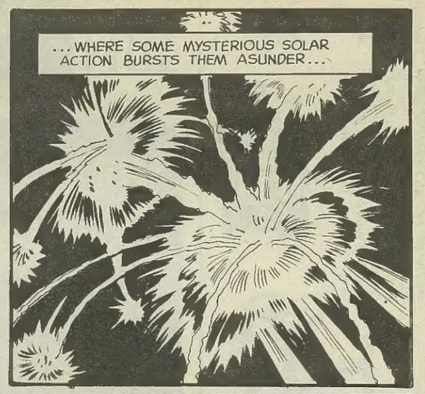
STAR TREK

The GHOST PLANET

IT IS WORKING, SIR-- OUR MAGNETIC GENERATORS HAVE RISEN 41.06 POINTS IN POWER!
GREAT! IT STILL MAY NOT BE ENOUGH --BUT AT LEAST WE'RE IN BUSINESS AGAIN!


THEN, SUDDENLY, THE MASSIVE BANDS COLLAPSE UNDER THE TREMENDOUS STRAIN... AT THE SPEED OF SOUND THEY RUSH TOWARD THE ENTERPRISE...
USS ENTERPRISE NCC-1701
HERE THEY COME!

WE'VE GOT THEM ALL...EVERY DEADLY RING! PREPARE TO CUT POWERS!
OF COURSE! OTHERWISE THEY WOULD COLLIDE WITH THE ENTERPRISE...ENTER OUR SHIP ITSELF!



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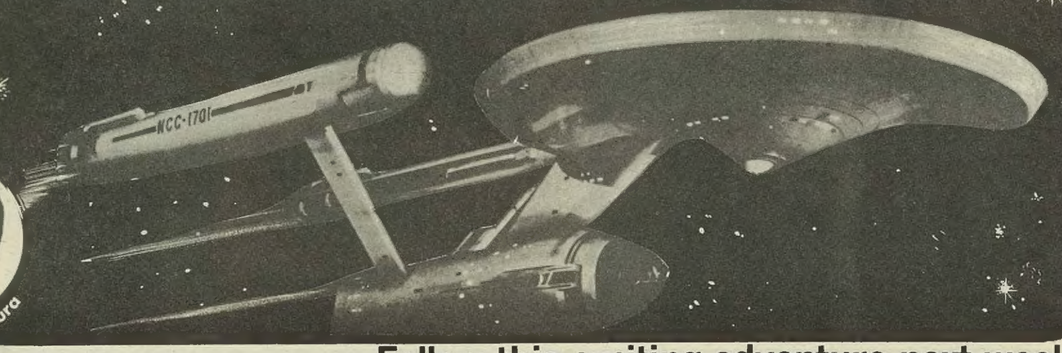


Follow this exciting adventure next week!

IS FISHING MORE FUN THAN FOOTBALL?

In the photograph above you will see the three anglers, who have just caught a black bream, are fishing from a boat which is anchored and has an outboard motor raised. They are being sensible about it. They are wearing life jackets.

WELL! Fishing is certainly our greatest *participating* sport; nearly four million people fish — that's more than play football. More and more young people are joining in the fun of fishing, too; over 200,000 have already joined Angling Clubs where they get expert help and advice. You can fish at many places now; very simply, with home-made equipment, or as an expert with much more complicated equipment.

You can divide fishing into three main branches . . .
1. **Fresh water,** also called *coarse* fishing.
2. **Sea fishing.**
3. **Game fishing,** also called *fly* fishing.

You will not need a rod licence if you are a sea angler and fish from the pier, beach or boat; but if you are a keen coarse or game angler you may have to buy a rod licence before starting to fish. Check this with the local river authority (its address will be in the phone directory), with a local club angler or at your fishing tackle shop where you buy bait and hooks. In most cases if you are under 15 the cost for the whole season will not be more than a few pence.

Find out also if you need a fishing permit or a day membership of your local fishing club before you can fish in the waters. Anglers who fish without permission are called poachers; if caught they can be fined or their tackle taken away by an owner!

HOLDALLS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT

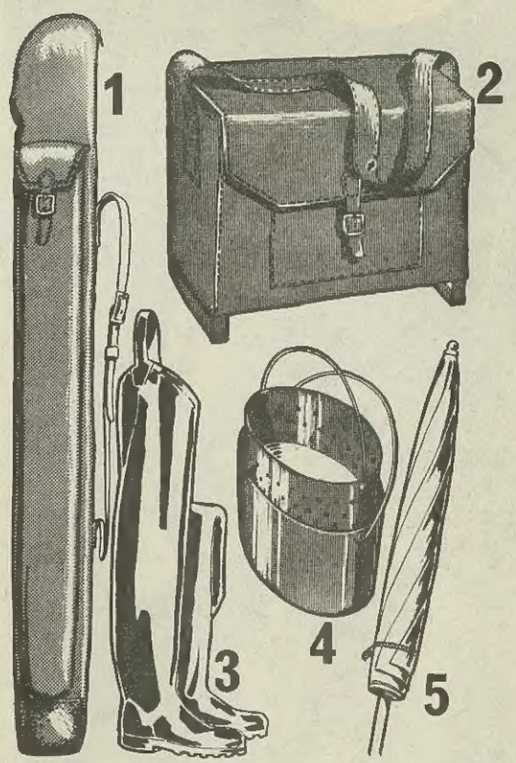
1. **Rod Holdall.** The simplest and most efficient way of carrying rods. Most will hold three rods and an umbrella as well.

2. Some **Tackle Holdalls** have a metal frame and are designed to be used as seats, as the one here. After you've carried it — it carries you!

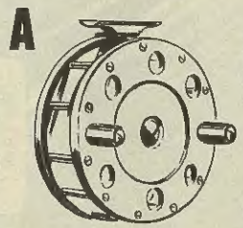
3. **Waders.** Used by trout and salmon anglers (coarse anglers usually wear Wellingtons).

4. **Livebait Holder.** Most small fish can be used as livebait, though minnow, perch, gudgeon, dace, roach and rudd are said to be the best. They can be carried in this special can with a perforated inner lining. The water splashes through the holes and so stays aerated, keeping the bait in good condition.

5. **Umbrella.** Anglers' umbrellas usually have very long shafts that can be adjusted for height.

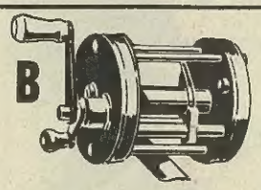


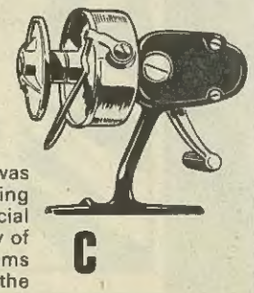
REELS



The **Centre-pin Reel.** A. is a drum reel, usually made of alloy for lightness, with a steel pivot for its central axis. Much used when fishing streams.

The **Multiplying Reel,** B. is famed for its free-running. When casting, the reel can be 'braked' by the angler pressing his thumb on the revolving drum.





The **Fixed-spool Reel,** C. was designed for throwing light spinning baits long distances. It has special gearing for speeding up recovery of the line. Some have sound systems to tell you when fish are taking the bait.

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Dr WHO

Aboard the Tardis, hurtling through Time and Space, The Doctor is unaware of approaching danger . . .

POLICE

INSIDE THE POLICE-BOX SPACESHIP...

THAT COMPLETES THE OLD GIRL'S RUNNING REPAIRS... THANKS TO THIS TACTRION TORCH...

...LIKE A GREAT INTENSIFIED LASER BEAM... POWERFUL ENOUGH TO BLIND ME IF I DIDN'T WEAR PROTECTION...

BUT EVENTUALLY..

OOOMPH!

THEN...

WHAT THE...? I'M FLOATING! THE GRAVITY CONTROL'S GONE HAYWIRE... LIKE EVERYTHING ELSE!

ONLY ONE THING COULD HAVE CAUSED THIS... THE TARDIS HAS ENTERED A BLACK HOLE. NOT EVEN SPACE! JUST A VACUUM! IT COULD BE ***ENDLESS...***

THE TARDIS HAS PASSED THROUGH INTO ANOTHER GALAXY. I'LL PUT HER DOWN TO CHECK FOR DAMAGE...

ON A NEARBY PLANET

H'MM! THE COMPUTER INDICATES AN ATMOSPHERE... IDENTICAL TO THAT OF EARTH. I'LL TAKE A LOOK...

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MOMENTS LATER, THE DOCTOR RECEIVES A SHOCK...

A COMPLETE LIFE-SUPPORT SYSTEM. I NEVER COULD RESIST EXPLORING...

I DO THINK HE WANTS ME TO HIDE. HE'S TRYING TO WARN ME...

FASCINATING. I... GREAT JUPITER... WHO...?

AS THE DOCTOR THINKS IT...

THE FOOT PRINTS OF THE BRAGGEN! SPREAD OUT... FIND THE DOG!

NEXT SECOND..

YOU WILL NOT ESCAPE US AGAIN, BRAGGEN!

SHOW YOURSELF... QUICKLY, FOOL! OR TASTE FIRE!

YOU HAVE DISOBEYED AND MUST BE PUNISHED...

PREPARE TO DIE!

A PARALYSING BEAM... THE POOR DEVIL CAN'T MOVE A MUSCLE!

NOT IF I CAN HELP IT... HE'LL HAVE TO TAKE US ***BOTH*** FIRST!

THE EDITOR'S Letterbox

Dear Editor,
I've sent you a picture of me and my sister with Dad, who has just given us new bikes. We have great fun riding about the garden and are very careful when we take them out the front of the house.

Janine and Martine Kidd,
Welling, Kent

Good to hear you put safety first. But mind you don't cut up dear old Dad's garden too much! Editor

Dear Editor,
I enjoy TV COMIC very much and I buy it every week. I used to have it ordered, but when the price went up, my mother and father wouldn't get it for me any more, so I had to buy it with my own pocket money. As I get 15p a week it doesn't leave me with much.

Still, I always enjoy TV COMIC and my favourite cartoons are Might Moth, Barney Bear, Pink Panther, as well as the Joke Page. By the way, I go to boarding school and am grade 4 in piano.

Anthony Boothyer,
Meopham, Kent

Thanks for your support, Anthony. Be sure to keep up your studies — at school and on the piano. Editor

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Dear Editor,
Last summer my Mum took me to the local zoo for the day. There we went all around and spent some time in the Monkey House. I put my tongue out at one of the monkeys and, to my surprise, he did the same back to me!

Julie Laine,
Leicester

That just goes to show you can't make a monkey out of a monkey, Julie!

Dear Editor,
I buy TV COMIC every week and like the adventures of The Starship Enterprise in Star Trek best. My favourite characters are Captain Kirk, and Mr Spock because of his ears. Could you show a picture of them, please?

David Gould,
Brighton

Happy to oblige, David!

Dear Editor,
My name is Douglas and I've written a short poem about my brother for you. I am 12 years of age

My brother's name is Keith,
He hates to brush his teeth,
His dirty face is a real disgrace,
But he's lovely underneath!

Douglas Bellwood,
Bywater, near Castleford, Yorkshire

I'm certain he's every bit as nice as you say, Douglas, and not half as bad! If any other readers have poems about family, friends, or anything else, please send them in. Editor.

Dear Editor,
My name is Colin Bourne and I am 11 years old I would like to tell you about my hobby of making models. So far I have made a helicopter, three cars, six planes and a rocket. I am going to start a big collection of them in my room.

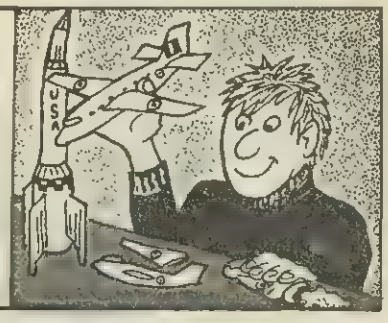
Colin Bourne,
Scotland

Do any readers share Colin's hobby, or have any interesting collections? Why not write to TV COMIC about them?

Dear Editor,
My name is Lucy Reeves I am ten years old. I went to a jumble sale recently. There I asked the lady how much she wanted for some TV COMICs on sale. She said a penny each, so I gave her the money and took them home. When I got home I found they were marked at only a ½p each. But I did not mind because they were TV COMICs. I like Tom and Jerry the best

Lucy Reeves,
Chorleywood, Herts.

What a bargain! We think we're well worth a ½p, or a 1p, and even 9p. Here's a £1 to spend on TV COMIC, so keep reading . .



Dear Editor,
My favourite feature in TV COMIC is Tom and Jerry. I hope this joke makes you laugh. 'How do you calm down an elephant?' 'With a Trunkaliser!'

Sarah Hughes,
Southampton

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Dear 'Mighty' Readers,
We like to receive all your letters, photographs, sketches, cartoons, jokes — you name it! We are only sorry that everything can't be published in TV COMIC, but there is a prize of £1 for every item we use. Sorry, but photographs cannot be returned. Editor.

Write to: — Editor's LETTERBOX, Mighty TV COMIC, 382-386 Edgware Road, London, W2 1EP

DID YOU KNOW???

the ALARM-CLOCK

ABOUT 200 B.C. THE OLD GREEKS ALREADY KNEW THE SO-CALLED *"WATER-ALARM"*.

CLOCK FACE
CISTERN
BALL DISK
FLOAT

THE WATER, DROPPING FROM THE TANK, MAKES THE FLOAT RISE. THE HAND AND BALL-BARREL START TO TURN SLOWLY AND AT THE REQUISITE HOUR THE BALL FALLS ON THE GONG.

Τί τοῦτ' Νὴ Δί'

IN OUR PRESENT BUSY TIMES LIFE CANNOT BE IMAGINED WITHOUT THE *SPRING-ALARM*.

THE FORCE OF THE FULLY WOUND SPRING IS TRANSMITTED VIA COG-WHEELS TO THE BALANCE, THEN TO THE HANDS AS WELL AS TO THE ALARM SETTING WHICH IS ADJUSTABLE TO A CERTAIN TIME AND MAKES THE ALARM-CLOCK GO OFF AT THAT TIME

ADJUSTABLE ALARM-CLOCK

SPRING
CAM
ALARM SETTING
ESCAPEMENT
COILED SPRING
BALANCE

AT THE REQUISITE HOUR THE CAM FALLS OF THE EDGE AND..... *RRRRING!*

THE BALANCE IS A KIND OF PENDULUM WITH A SMALL WHEEL FOR WEIGHT. THE COILED SPRING LOOKS AFTER THE UP AND DOWN MOVEMENT. THE ESCAPEMENT REGULATES THE TIME IN SECONDS. MOST PARTS OF AN ALARM-CLOCK ARE EITHER PUNCHED OUT ON PRESSES OR TURNED ON AUTOMATIC LATHES. THE WHOLE IS MOUNTED ON A CONVEYOR BELT.

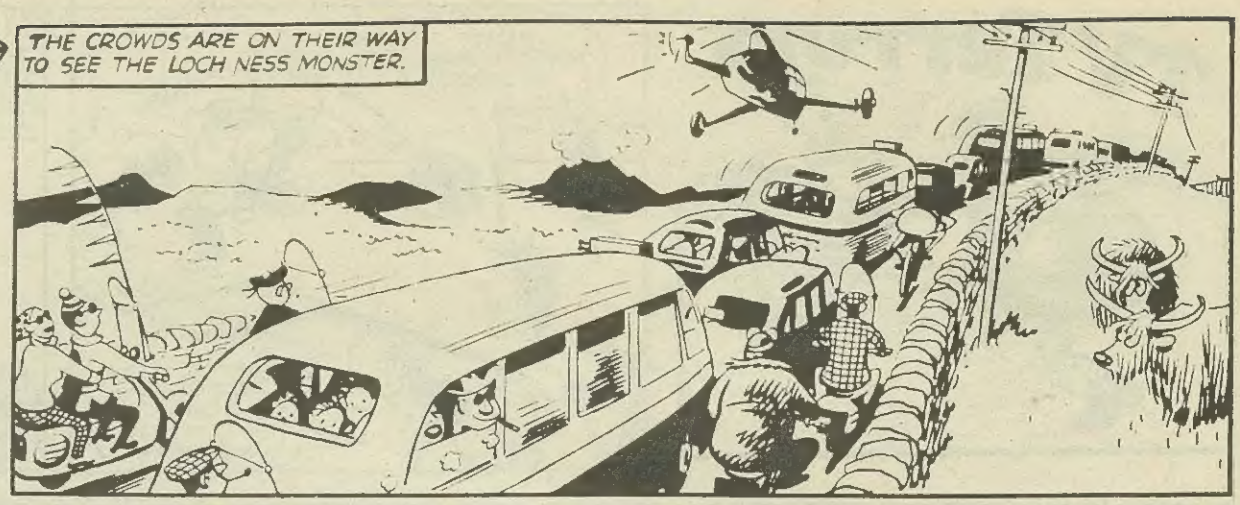
CENTURIES AGO ALREADY THE CHINESE WERE AWAKENED BY A *"FIRE-ALARM"*.

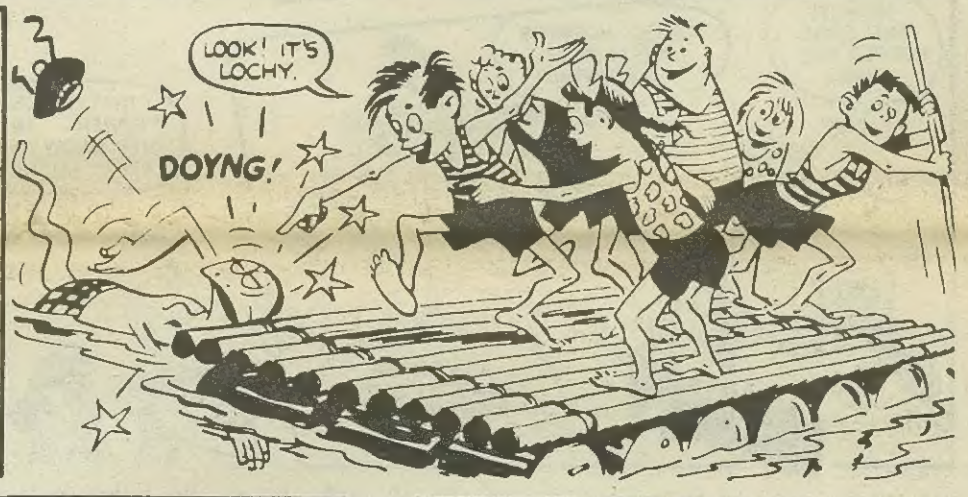
POWDER
JOSS-STICK

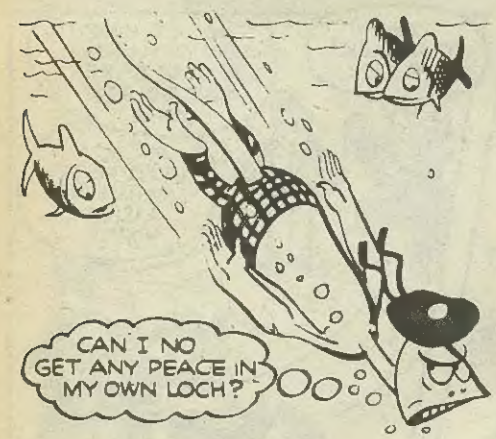
THE SLOWLY BURNING JOSS-STICK SCORCHES THE THREADS AND THE HOUR-WEIGHTS FALL ON THE GONG. WHEN THE TIME COMES TO GET UP, FIRE IS SET TO THE POWDER AND.... *BANG!*

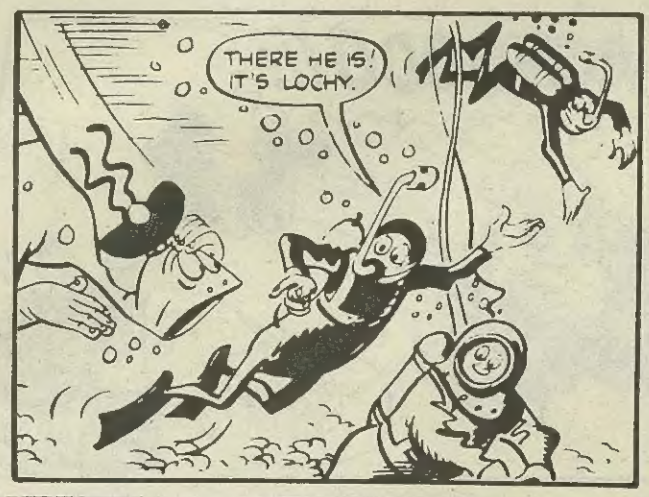
LOCHY

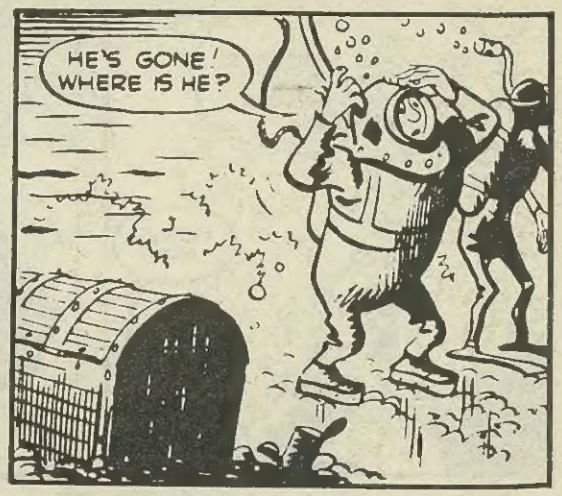
THE FUNNY WEE MONSTER

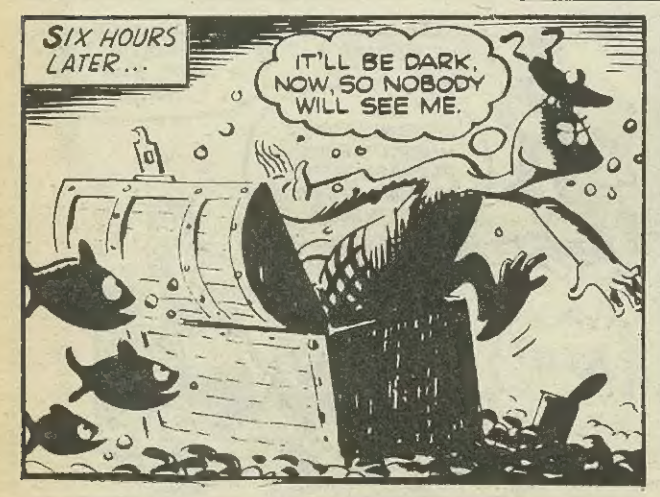


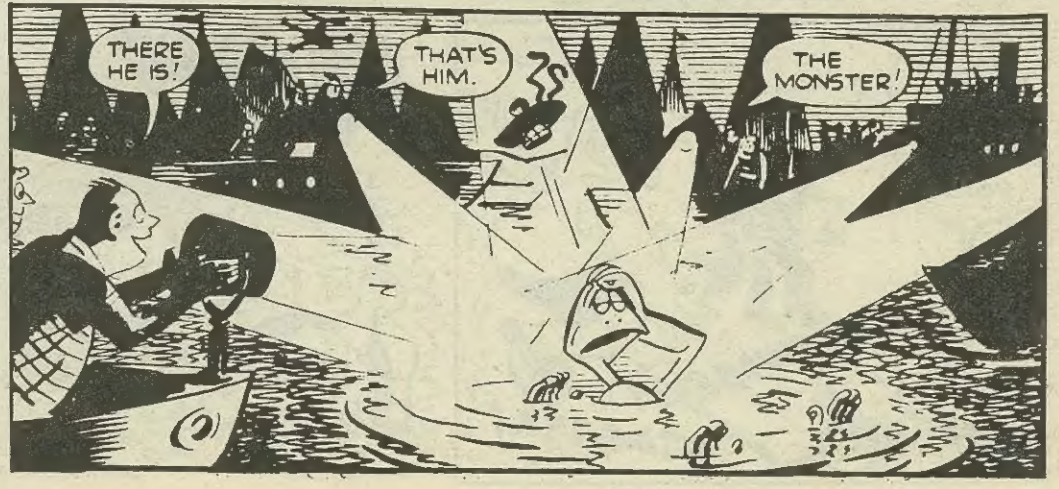




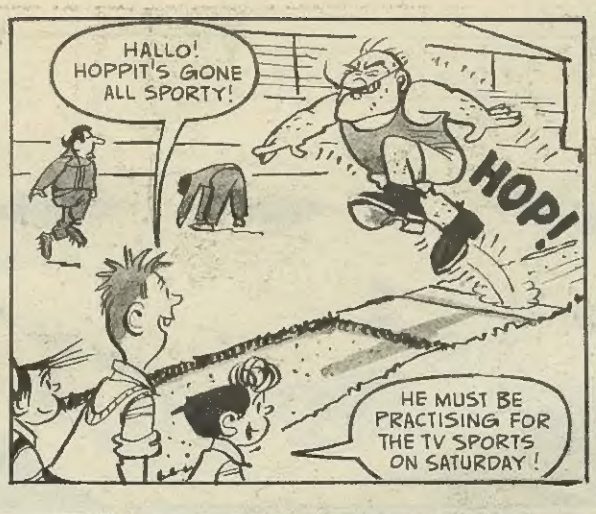


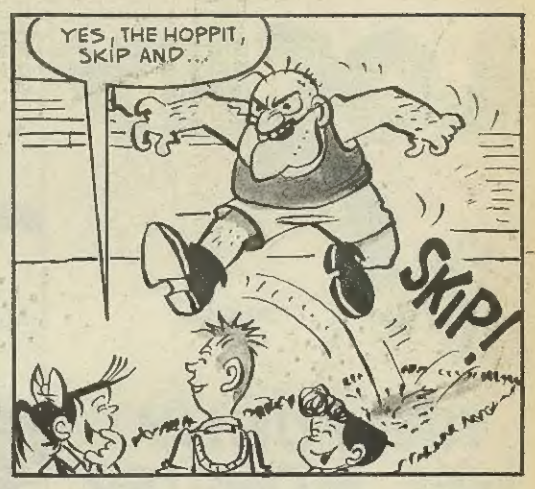




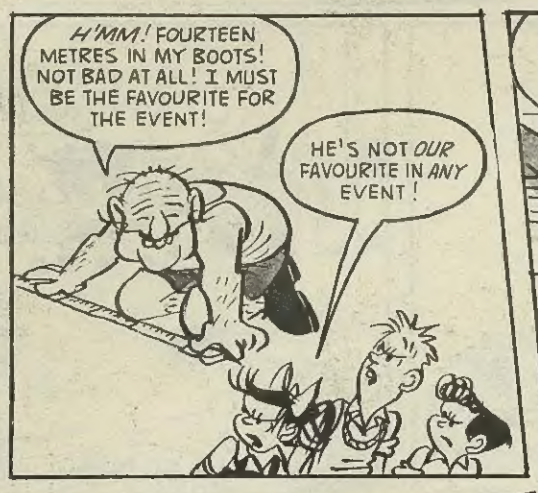


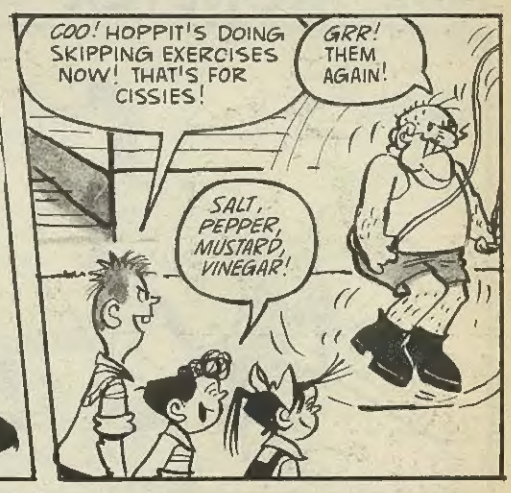
TV Terrors


HALLO! HOPPIT'S GONE ALL SPORTY!
HOP!
HE MUST BE PRACTISING FOR THE TV SPORTS ON SATURDAY!


YES, THE HOPPIT, SKIP AND...
SKIP!

... WHUMP!
YAAAGH! THAT WASN'T VERY SPORTING!


H'MM! FOURTEEN METRES IN MY BOOTS! NOT BAD AT ALL! I MUST BE THE FAVOURITE FOR THE EVENT!
HE'S NOT OUR FAVOURITE IN ANY EVENT!

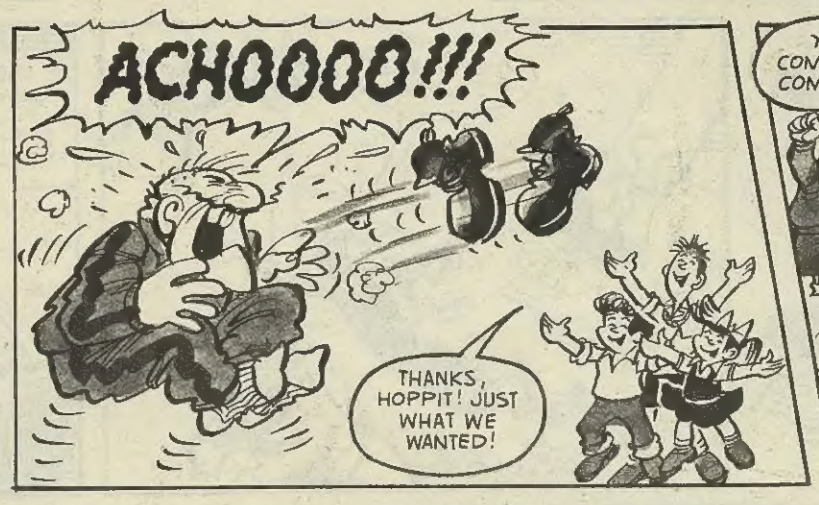

COO! HOPPIT'S DOING SKIPPING EXERCISES NOW! THAT'S FOR CISSIES!
GRR! THEM AGAIN!
SALT, PEPPER, MUSTARD, VINEGAR!

HOP IT! AND STAY HOPPED THIS TIME!
YIKES! HOPPIT'S MUSTARD AT WHUMPING!
AS-SALTED AGAIN BY OLD VINEGAR FACE!
WHUMP!

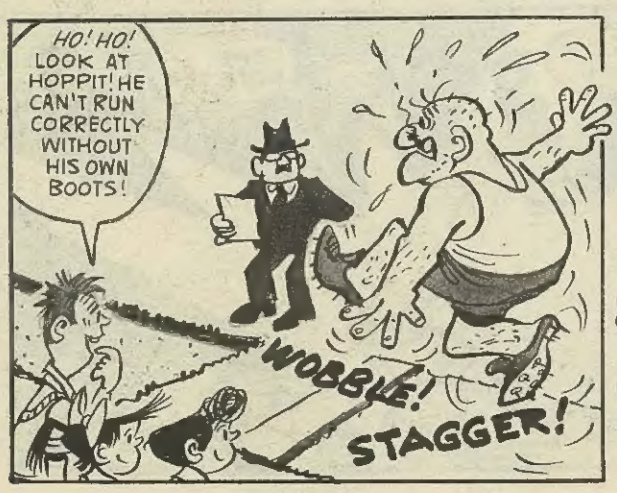
THAT LEAVES PEPPER... AND THAT'S HOW WE'LL REPAY HOPPIT!
HOW, BUTTONS? HOW?

THE BIG DAY...
SOON BE MY TURN NOW... I JUST PUT SOME TALCUM POWDER IN MY FAITHFUL BOOTS...

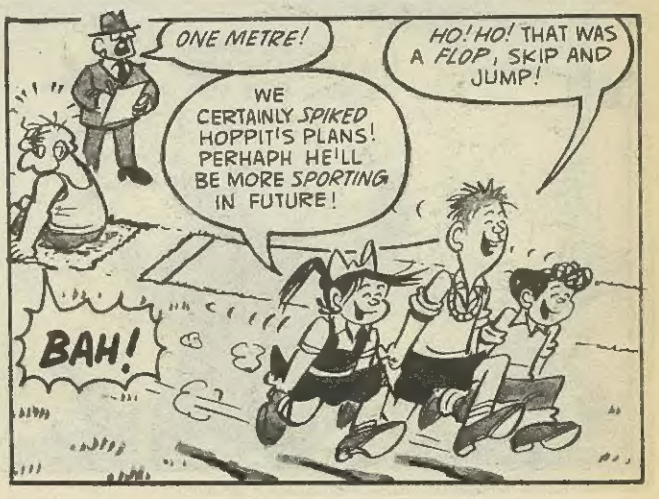
HELP! OOH! OOH!... SOMEONE'S REPLACED THE TALC WITH PEPPER! AAAA... AAAAAA...
GUESS WHO?


ACHOOOO!!!
THANKS, HOPPIT! JUST WHAT WE WANTED!

YAAGH! COME BACK! COME BACK!
TOO LATE, HOPPIT! NOW YOU'LL HAVE TO WEAR SPIKES LIKE THE REST OF US!
HO! HO! YOU'LL NEVER CATCH US IN A SPRINT, HOPPIT!


HO! HO! LOOK AT HOPPIT! HE CAN'T RUN CORRECTLY WITHOUT HIS OWN BOOTS!
WOBBLE!
STAGGER!

FLOP!


ONE METRE!
HO! HO! THAT WAS A FLOP, SKIP AND JUMP!
WE CERTAINLY SPIKED HOPPIT'S PLANS! PERHAPH HE'LL BE MORE SPORTING IN FUTURE!
BAH!

TOM and JERRY

TOM HEADS EAST HOT FOOT!

Z-Z-Z-Z-Z-Z

A-A-A-R-G-H!

WONDERS OF INDIA

AH! COOL! COOL!

TOM & JERRY

Walls

NEW RASPBERRY & PINEAPPLE FLAVOUR LOLLY

YOU'VE NEVER TASTED SO MUCH FRUITY REFRESHMENT ON A STICK!

LOOK FOR MORE TOM & JERRY ANTICS ON THE BACK OF WRAPPER

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POPEYE

I'M TIRED OF BEIN' A LIL' FELLA!

LET THE ARMY MAKE A MAN OUT OF YOU

MAYBE THEY COULD MAKE A MAN OUTTA ME!

I'M GONNA GIVE THEM THE CHANCE!

LATER...

POPEYE! SWEE'PEA'S RUN AWAY! HE LEFT THIS NOTE!

Dear Auntie An Uncle, I'm runnin away to join the Army. They can make a man out of me. Luv sweepea

WHY, THE STOOPID KID! WHAT A CRAZY THING TO DO!

POPEYE, YOU MUST STOP HIM!

YOU BET I WILL! LEAVE THIS TO ME, OLIVE!

ARMY RECRUITING OFFICE

NEXT, PLEASE.

I SAID 'NEXT, PLEASE!

I'M ALREADY HERE.

I WANTS TO JOIN THE ARMY!

I'M SORRY, YOU'RE TOO YOUNG, SONNY. BUT WRITE DOWN YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS AND WE'LL SEND FOR YOU WHEN YOU'RE EIGHTEEN!

SWEE'PEA! DON'T SIGN!

YA CRAZY KID! YA SHOULD KNOW BETTER THAN DO A THING LIKE THAT! COME WITH ME!

LATER...

PHEW! THAT WAS CLOSE, OLIVE! I JUST STOPPED HIM SIGNIN' ON FOR THE ARMY!

THANK GOODNESS! BUT WHERE IS MY LITTLE PRECIOUS? HAVEN'T YOU BROUGHT HIM HOME?

OF COURSE NOT! I TOOK HIM ACROSS THE ROAD AND SIGNED HIM INTO THE NAVY!

OH, NO!

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AND SO, A FEW HOURS LATER...
WE'LL SOON BE THERE, TOM!
DEWY MOUNTAIN PICNIC SITE
PASS ME THE HARD BOILED EGGS, TOM!
NEVER MIND THE EGGS, WHERE'S THAT MOUSE?
EEK! THAT PESKY RODENT'S EATEN ALL THE EGGS!
LEAVE THIS TO ME, MAID!
BETTER ACT FAST - I KNOW!
WHERE'D HE GO?
I'VE FOUND A WAY FOR YOU TO GET BACK INTO MAID'S GOOD BOOKS, TOM!
HERE, TOM - A NICE BIG EGG-CATCH!
GEE, THANKS JERRY!
MAID SURE WILL BE PLEASED WITH ME!
WHO NICKED MY EGG-YOU?
NO, ACTUALLY IT WAS HIM!
THOMP!
OOF!
WONDER WHAT'S HAPPENED TO TOM?
SPLAT!
BIFF! BOK! BASH!
HEH! HEH! LIFE'S NO PICNIC FOR TOM WHEN MAID'S ABOUT!
YOUR FAULT!
YOUR FAULT!